

Table 14. Farm Operators—Tenure and Characteristics: 1974, 1969, and 1964

Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over	1974		1969		1964		Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over	1974		1969		1964	
	Total farms	Farms operated by Black and other races, see text						Total farms	Farms operated by Black and other races, see text				
Farms and land in farms operated by—													
All farm operators	farms... 201	1	148	155	1 301	857							
	acres... 1 553 958	170	1 527 104	1 301 857									
Harvested cropland	farms... 165	1	112	135									
	acres... 15 007	100	10 415	12 665									
Full owners	farms... 100	—	59	65									
	acres... 22 211	—	12 133	(NA)									
Harvested cropland	farms... 88	—	49	(NA)									
	acres... 5 732	—	2 601	(NA)									
Part owners	farms... 71	1	59	82									
	acres... 541 230	170	513 093	(NA)									
Harvested cropland	farms... 66	1	53	(NA)									
	acres... 8 979	100	6 792	(NA)									
Tenants	farms... 30	—	30	7									
	acres... 990 517	—	1 001 878	(NA)									
Harvested cropland	farms... 11	—	10	(NA)									
	acres... 296	—	1 022	(NA)									
Percent of tenancy	acres... 14.9	—	20.2	4.5									
Farms by type of organization:													
Individual or family	farms... 171	1	134	(NA)									
	acres... 950 942	170	963 361	(NA)									
Partnership	farms... 18	—	5	(NA)									
	acres... 163 711	—	43 325	(NA)									
Corporation, including family corporations	farms... 12	(NA)	9	(NA)									
	acres... 439 305	(NA)	520 418	(NA)									
Farms by type of organization—Continued													
Other	farms... —	(NA)	—	(NA)									
	acres... —	(NA)	—	(NA)									
Farm operators by age group: ¹													
Under 25 years	—	—	—	2								2	
25 to 34 years	—	—	—	12								18	20
35 to 44 years	—	—	—	46								39	52
45 to 54 years	—	—	—	84								58	42
55 to 64 years	—	—	—	32								22	30
65 years and over	—	—	—	13								9	9
Average age	48.6	34.0	46.8	(NA)									
Farm operators by place of residence: ¹													
On farm operated	164	1	124	143									
On another farm	1	—	—	—									
In a rural area, not on a farm	5	—	21	8									
In a city, town, or urban area	15	—	—	—									
Farm operators reporting days of work off farm: ¹													
1 to 49 days	134	1	80	71									
50 to 99 days	11	—	5	12									
100 to 149 days	14	1	18	11									
150 to 199 days	18	—	21	12									
200 days and over	28	—	36	36									
Farm operators by principal occupation: ¹													
Farming	85	1	(NA)	(NA)									
Other than farming	104	—	(NA)	(NA)									

¹1974 data apply only to individual or family operations (sole proprietorships) and partnerships; see text.

Table 15. Value of Agricultural Products Sold: 1974 and 1969

Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over	1974		1969		Farms With Sales of \$2,500 and Over	1974		1969	
Market value of agricultural products sold (see text)	farms... 201	148	1 301	857					
	\$1,000... 6 481	3 360							
Average per farm	dollars... 32 241	22 701							
Farms by value of agricultural products sold:									
Under \$2,500 (see text)	24	30							
\$2,500 to \$4,999	37	25							
\$5,000 to \$7,499	40	19							
\$7,500 to \$9,999	16	6							
\$10,000 to \$14,999	18	8							
\$15,000 to \$19,999	6	6							
\$20,000 to \$29,999	17	11							
\$30,000 to \$39,999	7	12							
\$40,000 to \$59,999	11	18							
\$60,000 and over	25	13							
\$60,000 to \$79,999	2	6							
\$80,000 to \$99,999	5	1							
\$100,000 and over	18	6							
\$100,000 to \$199,999	10	(D)							
\$200,000 to \$499,999	8	(D)							
\$500,000 and over	—	(D)							
Farm sales by commodity or commodity group:									
Crops, including nursery products and hay	farms... 132	80							
	\$1,000... 2 722	896							
Grains	farms... 22	15							
	\$1,000... 105	47							
Tobacco	farms... —	—							
	\$1,000... —	—							
Farm sales by commodity or commodity group—Continued									
Crops, including nursery products and hay—Continued									
Cotton and cottonseed	farms... —	—							
	\$1,000... 84	42							
Field seeds, hay, forage, and silage	farms... 695	147							
	\$1,000... 37	29							
Other field crops	farms... 1 190	402							
	\$1,000... 26	25							
Vegetables, sweet corn, and melons	farms... 275	197							
	\$1,000... 5	3							
Fruits, nuts, and berries	farms... 2	1							
	\$1,000... 29	12							
Nursery and greenhouse products	farms... 455	102							
	\$1,000... 17	5							
Forest products sold	farms... 60	11							
	\$1,000... 113	102							
Livestock, poultry, and their products sold	farms... 3 698	2 453							
	\$1,000... 25	16							
Poultry and poultry products	farms... 433	253							
	\$1,000... 27	36							
Dairy products	farms... 2 526	1 770							
	\$1,000... 69	(NA)							
Cattle and calves	farms... 366	251							
	\$1,000... 3	(NA)							
Sheep, lambs, and wool	farms... 83	179							
	\$1,000... 14	—							
Hogs and pigs	farms... 200	—							
	\$1,000... 34	—							
Other livestock and livestock products	farms... 91	—							
	\$1,000... —	—							

¹Includes goats and mohair sold.